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MONDAY CONSULAR OFFICER SPOKE WITH REPRESENTATIVE UNION OIL HE CONFIRMED THAT NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES REQUIRED TO LEAVE INDONESIA DUE TO GVN VISAS IN PASSPORTS. HE SAID HE WOULD ATTEMPT TO DISCUSS PROBLEM WITH GEN SUKAMTO, CHIEF FOREIGN CONTRACTORS DIVISION, PERTAMINA. IT APPEARS THAT RESTRICTIONS ARE PERTAMINA'S NOT REPEAT NOT IMMIGRATION'S. WITHOUT PERTAMINA APPROVAL WORK PERMITS AND VISAS ARE UNOBTAINABLE FOR OIL COMPANY PERSONNEL.

FYI: IN ACCORDANCE PRODUCTION SHARING CONTRACTS AND SINCE OIL COMPANY EMPLOYEES ARE TECHNICALLY PERTAMINA EMPLOYEES, FOREIGN OIL COMPANIES ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT REQUESTS FOR WORK PERMITS TO PERTAMINA BEFORE PRESENTING TO GOI (MANPOWER AND IMMIGRATION) FOR APPROVAL.

OIL COMPANIES SUSPECT THAT SMALL NUMBER PERTAMINA OFFICIALS FEAR AMERICANS WHO PREVIOUSLY WORKED IN VIETNAM MAY POSE SECURITY THREAT. OIL COMPANIES PREFER TO HANDLE MATTER THEMSELVES AT PRESENT. UNION OIL REPRESENTATIVE SUGGESTED THAT SHOULD MEETING WITH SUKAMTO NOT RESOLVE PROBLEM, HE MAY REQUEST EMBASSY ASSISTANCE.

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YESTERDAY ECONOMIC OFFICER INFOED THAT MEETING WITH SUKAMTO

HAS NOT REPEAT NOT YET BEEN HELD DUE TO SUKAMTO'S CONTINUED
ABSENCE ABROAD. EMBASSY AWAITING OUTCOME OF MEETING BEFORE
TAKING FURTHER ACTION WITH GOI. EMBASSY ALSO REQUESTING
INFORMATION CONCERNING OIL PERSONNEL WHO WERE REQUIRED TO LEAVE.
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